

THE SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY.

Tuesday, June 3, 1873.

Youths' Department.

Jim Smith's Menagerie.

A party of boys at Jim Smith's house were playing a game that they called "menagerie." All the boys who never played it before, were turned into the hall, and then, being called into the sitting-room one by one, asked to tell what particular animal they most wished to see. One boy wished to see a hippopotamus, another an elephant, others tigers and lions, but they were one and all led up to the looking glass and pointed to their own reflection, and told that there was the animal they had expressed a desire to see. This game the boys thought very funny; and they laughed heartily at the last boy who was admitted into the menagerie—for he had asked to see a monkey, and looked very much "taken down" when shown his own self.

"Out here is old drunken Tom Oathbone," said one of the boys looking from the window; "let's call him in, and let him have a peep at an ugly looking animal."

So poor old Tom, the drunkard, was called into the room, and told to tell what animal he wanted to see. "Oh! show me the worst-looking wild beast you've got," said he. "Come show it to me; show me the beast!"

"All right, then," said the boys, and pushed Tom right in front of the looking-glass. He stood for a moment looking into the glass with a silly drunkard's smile. But presently such a look of horror and sorrow passed over his face as the laughter of the boys was checked, and they could not help but pity him as he sank into a chair and covered his face with his hands.

"We didn't mean to hurt your feelings," said Jim. "We did the same thing to all the boys. And just before you came in, Dick Willoughby asked to see a monkey, and we showed him himself."

But the poor fellow looked up with a mournful look in his bleared eyes, and said, "I am worse than a beast; worse than a beast."

Agriculture.

To BREAK A HORSE OF PULLING AT THE HARROW—Purchase a small rope (about three-fourth inch is best), put a strong bed cord will answer), at the middle of the rope under the horse's tail, as one would the crupper, cross the rope on the back, bring the ends forward and tie so as to form the lower part of a breast collar. To hitch, put the halter strap down through the rings, and tie to the rope collar.—*Rural New Yorker.*

BAG-HOLDER.—A very convenient arrangement for holding bags while filling them may be easily made as follows:—Take a piece of plank about twenty inches long and a foot wide, bore holes at the sides a little, and nail strips of tin boards, that will spring, six or eight inches wide to it, for uprights. The plank base should be beveled enough to make the uprights about fifteen inches apart at the upper ends. The bag is placed between these, and the upper end folded over the ends of the uprights, and the bag is held in a convenient position for filling. The uprights should be just long enough so that the bag will rest upon the plank when being filled.—*Ohio Farmer.*

TO REPRODUCE OLD GRAPE VINES.—The editor of the Practical Farmer says: "Having on our premises, planted by former owners, about twenty years ago, but a dozen old grape vines with large weather beaten trunks or stems, which made annually but little new wood and yielded but very poor grapes, two seasons ago we cut off the branches, and laid the main stems down in trenches, covering with about a foot of earth. Vigorous and healthy shoots sprang up in great abundance—the weak ones of which were broken off, and leading ones at proper distances trained to the arbor. The new growths are now clean, healthy and strong—sufficient entirely to replace the old ones by the present season; we look for bushels of fruit from the new bearing wood. We see old grape vines everywhere doing no good, and which could be made young and thrifty by this process."

Small boys in Bangor, Maine, supply themselves with pocket money by leaving parcels of their own devising at people's doors, marked "Pay the boy ten cents."

This is one of the stories revived upon George Francis Train since his voluntary incarceration in the New York Bastille, as he is fond of calling the Tombs: "Train attended, not long ago, the Jockey Club races at Jerome Park, and laid wagers during the whole week on the wrong horses. At the close of the last day, having had his usual illick, he exclaimed in a loud tone of voice: 'I bet one hundred dollars that I'm the greatest fool, of the native born specimens, that this Republic can show to day!'" An entire stranger, only a few feet off, drew forth his pocket-book and said: "I don't know who you are, but I'll cover your pile, unless you should happen to be George Francis Train."

About the commencement of the war Judge Rice made a speech in North Alabama, in which he said that the Southern soldiers could whip the Yankees with pogons. Since the war he made another speech at the same place. A big double jointed fellow was present, who heard and remembered the speech, and being in no amiable frame of mind, concluded to go for Sam. Rolling up his sleeves and popping his fist in the palm of his hand, he pronounced the fearless question—"Sam Rice, didn't you make a speech here in 1861?" "I did," said Sam. "And didn't you say that we could whip the Yankees with pogons?" "Certainly I did, but the d—d rebels wouldn't fight us that way."

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Administrator's Sale.

On Thursday, the 12th day of June, 1873, at 1 o'clock p. m., I will offer for sale on the premises, in Jackson township, Monroe county, Ohio, the following real estate to wit: The southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, in township two of range four, containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, also, the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-seven, township two and range four, containing three acres more or less, except about one acre, conveyed by deed, to Adam Henthorn; also, the following lands in section twenty-two, of township two and range four, commencing twenty-three acres upon the west side of Hickman's run to a stone marked D; thence southwest to the place of beginning, containing one acre more or less, except about one acre, conveyed by deed, to the highest and best bidder, and subject to the dower of Martha Forrest, widow of said Horton Forrest, deceased. Said lands are appraised at \$2,700.

THOMAS N. PARKER. Adm'r of the estate of Horton Forrest, dec'd May 13, 1873.—ad

RICHARD RICE'S ESTATE.

The first partial settlement account of Wm. Rice, guardian of the heirs of Richard Rice, deceased, will be for hearing June 4, 1873.

JAS. R. MORRIS. Probate Judge Monroe Co., O. may13,73w3.

GIDEON CLINE'S HEIRS.

The first partial settlement account of Wm. R. Cline, guardian of the heirs of Gideon Cline, deceased, will be for hearing June 4, 1873.

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EMANUEL CHRISTY'S ESTATE.

The final report and settlement account of Sylvester Wallace, Administrator and Commissioner of the insolvent estate of Emanuel Christy, deceased, will be for hearing June 13, 1873.

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LEWIS C. RING'S HEIRS.

The final settlement account of Hannah R. Ring, guardian of Lewis C. Ring's heirs, will be for hearing May 28th, 1873.

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NANCY WALTON'S ESTATE.

The final settlement account of Joel Voss, Administrator of Nancy Walton's estate, will be for hearing May 28th, 1873.

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JOSEPH RUCKER'S HEIRS.

The final settlement account of Joseph Rucker, guardian of the heirs of Joseph Rucker, deceased, will be for hearing May 14, 1873.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Susannah Mellett vs. Joseph Mellett.

By virtue of a vend. ex. to me directed from the court of common pleas of Monroe county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at the front door of the court house in the town of Woodfield, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on

Saturday, the 14th day of June, 1873, the following described real estate, situate in Monroe county, Ohio, to wit:

The west half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-two, township four of range four, containing eighty acres more or less, appraised at \$1,500.

GEORGE CALDWELL. Sheriff M. C. O. may13,73w5.

Road Notice.

A PETITION will be presented to the Commissioners of Monroe County, at their June session, praying for the alteration of the county road leading from Cummings' Run in Salem township, to the State road in Switzer land township, where the Armstrong road intersects it near John Lapps, in said county, as follows: Beginning at the county road leading from Ohio river, where it crosses Cummings' Run; thence by the best route to a point in the center of the road near a black walnut tree, six inches in diameter, in the low gap on the east part of Fred Shaffers land.

April 20, 73.—m. MANY PETITIONERS.

Notice.

WILLIAM FORREST, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1873, Thomas N. Parker, as Administrator of the estate of Horton Forrest, deceased, filed in the Probate Court of Monroe county, Ohio, his petition against the widow and children of said deceased; the object of which proceeding is to have the dower of said widow assigned in, and for the sale (to pay debts) of the following real estate of deceased in said county, to wit: Being all the lands purchased of John Bennett in sections twenty-two, twenty-seven and twenty-eight in township two of range four, containing about one hundred and ninety and three-fourth acres, more or less. Said petition will be for hearing on the 31st day of May, 1873.

HUNTER & HUNTER. Att'ys for Petitioner.

April 1, 1873.

Road Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Monroe County at their next session, to be held on the first Monday of June, 1873, praying for the vacation of a part of the county road running from Joseph Dev's land to the Grove meeting house road, commencing for the same at H. H. Ling's mill, and running thence to the Grove meeting house road, near Benj. Trux's house.

MANY PETITIONERS.

April 29, 1873.—m.

MICHAEL HUNKLER'S ESTATE.

The second partial settlement account of Michael Hunkler, dec'd, will be for hearing April 9, 1873.

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